

Docket: 0756-1790

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT application of)
TOSHIMITSU KONUMA et al.)
Serial No. 09/059,562) Art Unit: 2872
Filed: 04/14/98)
For: LIQUID CRYSTAL ELECTRO-OPTICAL)
APPARATUS AND METHOD OF)
MANUFACTURING THE SAME)



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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

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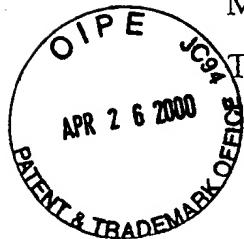
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the subject application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 1-30.

Please add new claims 31-116 as follows:

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